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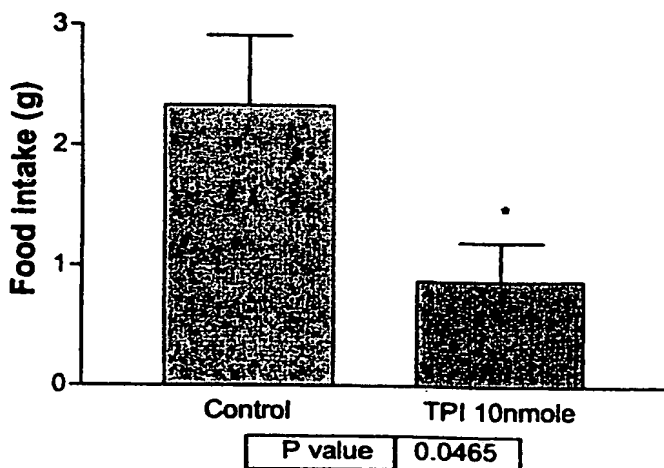
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b) decrease food intake or c) treat a disorder such as obe-
sity, a metabolic disorder, an eating disorder, depression
or urinary incontinence. Compositios of this invention
include N-benzylamino cyclic thioureas, pharmaceutical
preparations containing them, and their use as antago-
nists of (MCH receptor) and/or for other therapeutic or
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